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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Madam:

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed June 23, 2009, Applicant hereby provisionally elects claims 1-38, 81-92 for continued examination with traverse. The traversal is made on the ground that it is believed that single search and examination covering all claims would not place undue burden on the Examiner.

The Examiner has required restriction between:

Group 1, claims 1-38, 81-92, drawn to a method of providing a first and a second fluid maintained separately;

Group 2, claims 39-47, 49-58, 78-80, drawn to an apparatus comprising a first, second, and third static fluids;

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Group 3, claims 59-65, 67-69, drawn to a method of flowing a first, second and third fluid;

Group 4, claims 70-74, drawn to an apparatus comprising a continuous void; and

Group 5, claims 75-77, drawn to a method of storing an apparatus.

Applicant believes no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 23/2825 under Docket No. H0498.70219US02 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

Dated: August 21, 2009

Respectfully submitted,

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